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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – WESTERN DIVISION

CASEY THORNTON; and CARL JONES, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, **Plaintiffs,** **v.** **MICRO-STAR INTERNATIONAL CO., LTD.; MSI COMPUTER CORP. and DOES 1-25,** **Defendants.**	**CASE NO.: CV-17-3231** **CLASS ACTION** **DECLARATION OF VENUE**

I, ALAN M. MANSFIELD, declare as follows:

1. I am one of the counsel for Plaintiffs in this action and make this declaration to the best of my knowledge, information and belief of the facts stated herein.

2. At all relevant times herein, Defendants Micro-Star International Co., Ltd. and MSI Computer Corp. ("Defendants") were and are either a foreign corporation or a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California and whose principal place of business and headquarters is in the State of California, and were and are doing business within this District either directly or indirectly through the promotion, marketing, distribution, and sale of products at issue in this litigation in this District, as well as through the operation of interactive websites that permit consumers to order

goods and services from them and engage in transactions in this District, and where the transactions or substantial portions thereof occurred.

3. The Complaint filed in this matter contains a cause of action for violation of the Consumers Legal Remedies Act ("CLRA"), Cal. Civil Code § 1750, *et seq.*, as against Defendants.

4. Per the foregoing assertions, this cause of action has been properly commenced in the proper Judicial District for trial.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. This declaration was signed this _26th_ day of April, 2017 at San Diego, California.

ALAN M. MANSFIELD